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For:

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Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

<u>Transmitted</u> herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Petition for Extension of Time Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	20	20	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	5	5	0	\$86.00 =	\$0.00
	Multiple claims newly presented			\$0.00	
		Fee for extension of time			\$420.00
					\$0.00
		Total of Above Calculations			

 $\boxtimes$ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$420.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

 $\boxtimes$ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 2, 2003, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on September 2, 2003, and the petition for a two month extension of time up to and including November 2, 2003 being filed concurrently herewith, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks.